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Re: Application of Pierre JEUCH; Lionel FRANTZ and Fadi KHAIRALLAH  
ACTUATING DEVICE FOR SELF COOLING PACKAGING  
**Assignee: THERMAGEN SA**  
Our Ref: Q95577

Dear Sir:

The following documents are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- an copy of the International Application.
- 8 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-9).
- an Information Disclosure Statement and a copy of the ISR.
- a copy of the IPER.
- a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR/IPER references.

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report and cited references, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

It is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f).

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Base Fee								\$300.00
Search Fee*								\$400.00
Examination Fee*								\$200.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee								\$360.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>								<b>\$1260.00</b>

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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1260.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
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